

U.S.C. § 2243(b)(3)(A). Because the instant petition is successive, the district court is without authority to entertain the petition unless leave to file is granted by the Court of Appeals.

It is therefore **ORDERED** that the petition for writ of habeas corpus, brought pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254, is hereby **TRANSFERRED** to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit pursuant to *Henderson v. Haro*, 282 F.3d 862, 864 (5th Cir. 2002) and *In re Epps*, 127 F.3d 364, 365 (5th Cir. 1997).

SO ORDERED this **21st day of August, 2020**.



Reed O'Connor
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE